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For : CATALYST FOR REMOVING AROMATIC HALOGENATED
COMPOUNDS COMPRISING DIOXIN, CARBON MONOXIDE AND
NITROGEN OXIDE AND USE THEREOF

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir :

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98,

Applicants hereby call the following documents to the Examiner's attention:

U.S. Patent No. 5,430,230 to MITSUI et al., which issued on July 4, 1995. Applicants note that this patent is cited on page 4 of the specification;

U.S. Patent No. 5,653,949 to CHEN et al., which issued on August 5, 1997. Applicants note that this patent is cited on page 4 of the specification;

U.S. Patent No. 6,027,697 to KURIHARA et al., which issued on February 22, 2000. Applicants note that this patent is cited on page 5 of the specification; and

Program and Abstract of 2003 Spring Seminar, published by the Korean Institute of Chemical Engineers, April 25, 2003. Applicants note that this is cited on page 5 of the specification.

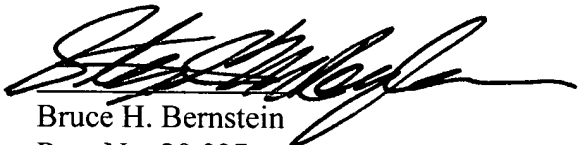
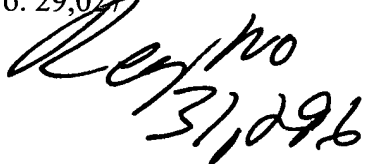
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Further to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office's decision to waive the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(i), copies of the U.S. patents are not enclosed herewith. However, if any copies are needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above materials and cite the documents. A copy of the Korean document is attached, and all of the documents have been listed on a PTO-1449 Form which is also attached hereto. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the Form to the Applicants in the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of these documents.

Should the Examiner have any further questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,
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